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STATE FOR EAP/MLS, L/EAP, L/PM, PM/ISO, INR AND DRL  
PACOM FOR FPA CHRISTY, JIATF/WEST FOR COMMANDER BUSCH

E.O. 12958: N/A  
TAGS: [MASS](#) [MARR](#) [MOPS](#) [PREL](#) [PHUM](#) [TH](#)  
SUBJECT: THAILAND EMBASSY/STATE DEPARTMENT HUMAN RIGHTS  
VETTING FOR: JUSMAG, COURSES, TEXAS AND MISSISSIPPI, APRIL 27 -  
AUGUST 14, 2009

REF: A. JUSMAG MEMO DATED MARCH 19, 2009

[B](#). 05 STATE 021314 - GUIDANCE

[C](#). 03 STATE 34981 - GUIDANCE

[1](#). (U) This is an action request for human rights  
verification required by the Leahy Amendment; see Para. 2.

[2](#). (U) JUSMAG Bangkok has requested that the Embassy/State  
Department complete human rights vetting request for the individual  
below, who has been selected to attend the below-mentioned courses.  
Embassy Bangkok possesses no credible information at this time of  
gross violations of human rights by this person. Embassy Bangkok  
Political Officer, Melissa G. Carlson, is the verifying officer for  
the Embassy/Department of State.

Courses:

Specialized English Language Training, DLIELC, Lackland AFB, Texas,  
April 27 - June 26, 2009;  
Financial Management Staff Officer, Keesler AFB, Mississippi, June  
29 - July 28, 2009; and

Principles of Instruction Accounting and Finance, Sheppard AFB,  
Texas, August 03 - 14, 2009.

Participant:

Name: Sonthaya Thongrak  
DPOB: April 20, 1977; Songkhla, Thailand  
Title/Rank: Flying Officer, First Lieutenant  
Unit: Expenditure Control Division, Directorate of Finance, Royal  
Thai Air Force  
Funding Agency: JUSMAG.

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